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Title: Generating an Optimized Price Schedule for a Product

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Third Request for Status

Please advise the status of the above-identified patent application. Applicants filed a Second Request for Status mailed March 12, 2004. To date, Applicants have not received an Office Action and are again requesting status of the first Office Action and the status of this case.

If there are any matters that can be cleared up through a telephone conversation, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicants at (214) 953-6812.

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